

## **CLAIM AMENDMENTS:**

1. (currently amended) A roadway marker comprising a resin base having a bottom for mounting to a supporting surface and a front lens recess having a bottom edge substantially adjacent the bottom of the base and a top edge spaced rearwardly from the bottom edge so that the front lens recess is sloped at an acute angle relative to the bottom of the base, the front lens recess being formed with a plurality of grooves, a resin lens having a rear surface secured to the front lens recess of the base, the lens including at least one nighttime signal region with a plurality of retroreflective surfaces aligned for reflecting light from a headlight of a vehicle back toward the vehicle, at least one of the rear surface of the lens further being formed with a plurality of ribs nested in the grooves of the front lens recess and ultrasonically welded to the base so that the nested ribs and grooves define an integral matrix of resin, the resins of the lens and the base being formed from a resin having a fluorescent material therein such that ambient light impinging on the fluorescent material causes photons to be emitted through portions of the base ultrasonically welded to the lens and further emitted through the lens to define at least one daytime signal regions of on the lens.

2. (canceled).

3. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 21, wherein the fluorescent material in the lens is a fluorescent orange colorant.

4. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 21, wherein the fluorescent material in the lens is a fluorescent yellow-green colorant.

5. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 21, wherein the fluorescent material in the lens is a fluorescent yellow colorant.

6. (canceled).
7. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 63, wherein the fluorescent ~~colorant~~ material in the base is fluorescent orange.
8. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 64, wherein the fluorescent ~~colorant~~ material in the base is fluorescent yellow-green.
9. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 65, wherein the fluorescent colorant in the base is fluorescent yellow.
10. (canceled).
11. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 4017, wherein the fluorescent ~~colorant~~ material in the base and the lens is fluorescent orange.
12. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 4017, wherein the fluorescent ~~colorant~~ material in the base and the lens is fluorescent yellow-green.
13. (currently amended) The roadway marker of claim 4017, wherein the fluorescent ~~colorant~~ material in the base and the lens is a fluorescent yellow.
14. (original) The roadway marker of claim 1, wherein the retroreflective surfaces are on the rear surface of the lens.
15. (original) The roadway marker of claim 1, wherein the daytime signal region is free of retroreflective surfaces.
16. (canceled).
17. (new) A roadway maker comprising a resin base having a bottom for mounting to a supporting surface and a front lens recess having a bottom edge substantially adjacent the bottom of the base and a top edge spaced rearwardly from the bottom edge so that the front lens recess is sloped at an acute angle relative to the bottom

of the base, a front surface extending between the bottom and top edges of the front lens recess, a resin lens having a rear surface secured to the front surface of the front lens recess of the base, the lens including at least one nighttime signal region with a plurality of retroreflective surfaces aligned for reflecting light from a headlight of a vehicle back towards the vehicle, the rear surface of the lens and the front surface of the lens recess being provided with nested ribs and grooves, the nested ribs and grooves being ultrasonically welded together to define an integral matrix of resin, the resins of the lens and the base having a fluorescent material therein so that ambient light impinging on the fluorescent material causes photons to be emitted through portions of the base ultrasonically welded to the lens and further emitted through the lens to define daytime signal regions on the lens.